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Colleagues,

Region 4 senior leadership has recently been informed that due to the lack of human activity in the building for almost two years, rodents have been observed in workspaces throughout the Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Building. In an abundance of caution, and until further notice, we are asking EPA staff to refrain from entering EPA workspaces in the Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Building. Management will coordinate with staff should the essential functions of their position require their presence in the building.

The health and safety of EPA employees remain paramount. To that end, Region 4 senior leadership is working closely with GSA to address this issue. GSA has advised that preliminary extermination efforts are underway. Additionally, EPA is conducting inspections and will procure contractual support, as necessary, to determine the next steps. Additional information will be forthcoming to ensure the safe return of employees to the EPA workspace.

Take care and stay safe!
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